

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Tuesday, Fair and Warmer

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

TONOPAH, NEVADA, TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 28, 1918

PRICE 10 CENTS

METAL QUOTATIONS

Silver	89 1/2
Copper	89 1/2
Lead	7 1/2
Quicksilver	91 1/2

MAKING A DASH ON PARIS

Crown Prince Leads Backed Up By Pick of German Army

AMERICANS REPULSE GERMAN ONSLAUGHT

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 28.—Another section of General Pershing's communiqué of yesterday, received today, said the enemy bombardment and gas attack on American advance positions at Picardy before daylight Monday was repulsed by counterattacks. Two places in the American lines were penetrated. An attempted raid accompanied by artillery fire in the Woerthe sector was also repulsed. There were gas attacks in Lorraine Sunday.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE (By Associated Press).
May 28.—German raiding troops attacked the Americans in the Luneville sector.

SANTA FE SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKE

(By Associated Press.)
SANTA FE, N. M., May 28.—The third earthquake here in forty-four years shook plaster from the walls today. The shock was of five seconds duration and was accompanied by an audible rumbling. It was felt in nearby towns. No serious damage is reported.

ITALIAN TROOPS BREAK THROUGH ENEMY LINES

(By Associated Press.)
ROME, May 28.—Italian troops broke through the Teuton defenses on Monday at Capo Sile, on the lower Piave, to a depth of seventy-five yards and captured thirty-three prisoners.

CASUALTY LIST

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 28.—Seven were killed in action, 1 died of wounds, 1 from drowning, and 5 by disease. Eighteen were severely wounded and six are missing.

GEN. LEONARD WOOD SHELVED FROM GOING ABROAD WITH ARMY

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 28.—Saying that it was "not the custom of the department to explain orders to officers," Secretary Baker last night refused to comment on the order issued today detaching Major General Leonard Wood from command of the Eighty-ninth national army division. Major General Wood is senior officer in the regular army and the order means that he will not lead the division stationed at Camp Funston to France. It was learned that Major General Wood is slated to command the western army department with headquarters at San Francisco, but no official announcement of the change of orders was made.

The general was at the department of war during the day conferring with Secretary Baker and other officials, and it is understood he urged strongly that if he must stay at home he at least be given an assignment promising more active duty than a command in the west.

Up to a day or two ago at most there was nothing to indicate that the department had any other purpose than to send the general to the front when his division went. On the contrary, there is every reason

to believe that he was fully expected to go when that time came. He submitted to a physical examination on his return from France where he was wounded by the bursting of a French gun, passed all tests and it was believed that the only obstacle to his being sent to the front in command of his division had been removed.

Secretary Baker declined to comment upon suggestions that the latest development might be construed as a manifestation of the disfavor with which it has been publicly alleged the administration looks upon the officer.

General Wood's close association with former President Roosevelt, among the most unsparing critics of the administration and particularly of the war department, has led to assertions with regard to his assignment before.

There have been instances in the past where officers assigned by the war department have been relieved on recommendations from General Pershing, whose choice of officers to serve under him never has been questioned by the department. No official word was given whether General Wood had encountered such an obstacle.

HELPLESS ON THE PICARDY FRONT TORTURED BY GAS SHELLS

(By Associated Press.)
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE (Monday), May 27.—The Germans today hurled explosive and gas shells near the American hospitals back of the Picardy front. These fell near the buildings a short distance from where an American funeral was progressing. The ceremony was undisturbed. The Germans began their attack against American sick and wounded ten days ago.

MOONEY SENTENCED TODAY TO HANG

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—Thos. J. Mooney, convicted of murder in connection with the preparedness day bomb explosion, was sentenced today to be hanged on an indeterminate date not less than 60 days nor more than ninety from this date, at San Quentin, by Judge Griffin.

NINE THOUSAND RIFLES A DAY ARE DELIVERED

(By Associated Press.)
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 28.—American factories are now producing Lee-Enfield rifles at the rate of 9000 a day—enough to equip two army divisions weekly, according to Representative John P. Wilson, of Connecticut, a member of the house committee on military affairs, who addressed the Hardware Manufacturers' association for war service here today.

The speaker said he knew of the completion of one order for 10,000 sawed-off shotguns of the buckshot shooting model which General Pershing was quoted as endorsing as being especially well adapted for modern trench warfare. He said that these guns are now being used by American fighting men.

BUSINESS IN MADRID PARALYZED BY GRIPPE
MADRID, May 28.—An outbreak of a species of grippa has almost paralyzed business life in Madrid. King Alfonso is believed to be suffering from the disease.

BRITAIN'S INSISTS KEEP BELGIUM FOR AN OUTPOST
AMSTERDAM, May 28.—"We must retain Belgium economically, politically and militarily," Admiral Von Tirpitz, one of the leaders of the reactionary fatherland party, said in an address on Sunday at Dusseldorf, according to the Nachrichten. "Neither control of Europe, the Orient, or northern Europe can supply us with raw materials requisite to our industries. We need to have the sea free from Anglo-Saxon tyranny for the purpose."

IRISH INFORMATION IS NOT GIVEN OUT
LONDON, May 28.—Parliament convened today expecting to hear an official statement regarding the German plot.

Andrew Bonar Law, government spokesman of the house of commons, said he had no intention of making any statement of Irish affairs at present.

Law announced that the bombing of British hospitals in France by German aviators caused 300 casualties to hospital cases.

Fuel Famine Unavoidable Says Director

(By Associated Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—Production of coal must be increased 85,000,000 tons over 1917 if war demands of the United States are to be met, J. D. Morrow, general director of distribution of the United States fuel administration, told the National Coal association. He doubted the ability of the anthracite industry to increase the output, and said most of the extra fuel must come from the bituminous mines.

GUERRILLA WARFARE IS BLAZING UP

PEASANTS OF UKRAINE TURN MACHINE GUNS ON GERMAN INVADERS

(By Associated Press.)
MOSCOW (Thursday), May 23.—Peasant opposition to Germans and Russians in the Ukraine is extending rapidly. Peasants are firing forests, destroying buildings and otherwise hindering the Germans who are trying to commandeer food.

The Germans have been forced to send additional troops to Poltava, where rioting is reported to be most serious. The peasants have organized large detachments armed with machine guns and rifles, and the Germans are using artillery.

RATES DESIGNED TO REDUCE ALL PLEASURE TRAVEL

ONE OBJECT WILL BE TO DIMINISH PRESSURE ON PASSENGER TRAINS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—The state railroad or rate commissions have no authority to change the rates, the railroad administration holds, even though many provisions of the new order more than double the charges for short hauls within states. The director general explained in a telegram to chairman of state commissions, however, that he will welcome suggestions for readjustment of rates on intra-state traffic, and these will be referred to the interstate commerce commission for its consideration in passing on specific complaints. State commissions may also enter formal protests direct to the interstate commerce commission.

An analysis of the new schedules showed that for hauls of from five to 50 miles, particularly in states which have their own intra-state classifications, rates will be raised by varying amounts ranging from 25 to 150 per cent.

It was reported that commercial traveler's organizations would protest against the 3c mile rate which is from half to 3-4c higher than present mileage rates. They will ask, it was said, for sale of mileage books at a lower rate on the ground that they are wholesale purchasers of mileage.

Railroad administration officials admit that they hope to reduce unnecessary passenger travel by the higher rates and thus save facilities and labor for freight movement. Estimates of the amount of travel which may be curtailed range from 10 to 20 per cent.

ENEMY MAKES INITIAL GAINS WHILE ALLIES ARE SATISFIED HOLDING RESERVES IN HAND
PARIS, May 28.—Military opinion is divided regarding whether the German drive on the Aisne is an effort to break through at Soissons and make a dash to Paris by Villers-Cotterets or whether it is a maneuver preliminary to and for the purpose of concealing an eventual main attack against Amiens.

The first hypothesis seems most probable from the fact that the German crown prince with the pick of the German army is operating in the attack. Its immediate object is to capture Chemin-des-Dames, Conde Fort and the Caronne plateau. Enemy infiltrations south of the river Aisne have been localized, according

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to the latest news reaching Paris, in the region of Pont-Arcy, north of Fismes and north of Pont Avert and south of Caronne.

The Germans are endeavoring to enlarge their initial gains and plans probably will be developed according to the results they obtain. French communications in the Soissons region are exceptionally good, permitting the rapid movement of reserves. Consequently speed is the essence of the problem from a German viewpoint.

(By Associated Press.)
WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE (Monday night), May 27.—As foreseen the entente troops were compelled to cede ground the first

I. W. SEEKS CONTROL OF WESTERN HARVEST

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, May 28.—Amalgamation with the Non-Partisan League in North Dakota was proposed by the officers of the agricultural branch of the Industrial Workers of the World, according to evidence introduced by the government yesterday in the trial of 112 I. W. W. leaders for conspiracy to hamper the government's war plans.

The combination, advocated by Forest Edwards, secretary of the agricultural branch, located at Minneapolis, Minn., and other officers, was intended to "give the I. W. W. complete control in the harvest fields of North Dakota." Under the proposed arrangements, the Non-Partisan League members were to hire only members of the I. W. W.

After a conference between representatives of the two organizations, however, announcement was made that the plans had not materialized. The files taken from the Minneapolis headquarters by the government and read into the records contained letters, reports and bulletins showing opposition to the war and encouraging violence against industries necessary to the prosecution of the war.

In answering criticism of the I. W. W. opposition to the war against Germany, Edwards wrote: "The class war is the war we're interested in. We do not care for side issues."

Letters of Grover Perry, an organizer in the southwest, made reference to the fight with members of the American Federation of Labor, particularly in Arizona.

One letter in this file advised a fellow organizer that "when an ap

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(By Associated Press.)
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day of the German drive. Their retirement was orderly. Twenty-five selected German divisions participated. The entire allied line was thinly held by a British division.

(By Associated Press.)
WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE (By Associated Press), May 28.—The British and French launched a counter-attack today east of Dikiebusch lake, in Flanders. The movement began well and success would make the enemy assault of yesterday a complete and costly failure. It is believed the Germans used four divisions in the Flanders attack yesterday on a 6000-yard front. The enemy was so severely punished by the French on the right flank that they didn't even get to close quarters with them.

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, May 28.—The Germans today crossed the Aisne between Berry au Bac and Vailly, where the battle continues fiercely. German air raiders dropped bombs on the Paris suburbs last night, but didn't reach the city.

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, May 27.—The battle for possession of the Chemin des Dames has been raging since early yesterday. Troops of the German crown prince took the ridge by storm along the whole of its extension and last night were fighting on the Aisne, according to the official statement issued by the war office.

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